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"The Truly Distinguished  
Mind Prefers The  
Provinces"

## Recent Operations

By Paul Rardin

Captain Merritt O. Slavey, former pastor of the Canal Point Methodist church and now chaplain in the army, is back at his home in Maryville, Tenn., this week after returning from the European war theater. He was reassigned to some post in the states, but will pay us a visit. If he is assigned to Pacific duty with the Eight-Air Force, he won't get to visit us again for some time, since he will be taking off any day for the far east.

Otto Bleich is making a good president of the Pahokee Holiday club. Yesterday he gave an excellent report on a two day Rotary conference held last week in Miami. His report was interesting and comprehensive. He was accompanied on the trip by Secretary Tom Kirk.

Major Johnson of the Palm Beach County Salvation Army guest speaker at yesterday's meeting of the Pahokee Rotary club. The end of extensive plane flights for much needed work in the West Indies. He pointed out the splendid accomplishments of the Army during the 80 years it has been in existence. His talk was warmly received by members of the club.

I received a lot of pretty cards on last Saturday—my birthday. Thanks!

Late reports say that Churchill and his government have been overwhelmingly defeated in British elections. That's gratifying.

## Canal Point Plans Vacation Bible School Next Week

The Canal Point Methodist and Missionary Church will begin their annual vacation Bible school this morning at nine o'clock on their annual Bible School class work and departmental activity will begin next Monday, July 30. Children of all denominations and of no denomination are invited to attend this school. If you did not bring your young child this morning, you are invited to do so on Monday morning when the Bible school opens at five minutes before nine. Four and five year old pupils will be in the Beginner Department, six and seven year olds will be in the Primary Department; 9-10-11-12 year old pupils will be in the Junior Department, and 13-14-15 year old pupils will be in the Intermediate Department.

Bible School work begins each day with a General Assembly of all departments, followed by a service at 8:35 and closes with a General Assembly in the Methodist Church at 11:30. Transportation will be provided for student pupils. A meal will be served to students and Bible study has been planned, and it is expected also that on some days there shall belets serving the life and work of world Christian Living.

Your help and encouragement is begged in this great project. Contribute to its needs and render your services if you can to its success. Help can be given to anyone connected with the Bible School if you can—and will be with us to help the Departmental leaders in their departmental activities. The Bible School will close Friday, August 10.

J. Richard Heller,  
Principal.

## SWIMMING PARTY

Mrs. M. E. Mullins entertained her Sunday School class of interested parents and children at the Baptist Church with a swimming party and picnic on the shores of Lake Okeechobee this Wednesday afternoon. The picnic was well attended following the serving of the picnic supper. Approximately 20 members and visitors attended.

## BEER PLENTIFUL ? ? ?

MAMI, July 26.—(FNS)—Dr. James S. Thomas, South Florida director of OPA reports Florida beer plentiful and reaching markets in increasing quantity. An addition made here in Kissimmee, 15,000 barrels were sold and 700 head were sold at Arcadia, everything held to OPA ceiling prices. Swift & Co., Lyons Brothers, Herman's Sausage Company and Kingman's were among the buyers.

Miss Emma Wheeler is visiting friends in the state of Ga.

## Glades Has Population of 34,245 In 1945; Belle Glade County's 2nd-Largest City While Pahokee Drops To Fourth Place

### 1945 CENSUS

W. Palm Beach	41,227
Belle Glade	12,400
Lake Worth	11,332
Pahokee	10,276
P. B. County	112,094

Palm Beach county is growing up. The 1945 census shows more than 100,000 people within the borders of the county, the second largest known county. To be exact and according to the figures recently released by the state after the 1945 census was officially completed, Palm Beach county boasts a population of 112,094.

West Palm Beach, of course, remains the largest city and Belle Glade is in second place with Lake Worth third and Pahokee dropping to fourth place.

The statistics show that Belle Glade (Precinct No. 38) has a total population of 12,400 while Pahokee (Precinct No. 39) has 10,276. Canal Point (Precinct No. 35) is 112,094 in the official tally with 3,066 citizens.

These figures were brought to the county commission meeting on Monday of this week by Commissioner Aylor who presented the commissioners that redistricting of the county in order that each commissioner represent as nearly as possible the same number of people.

At present A. A. Poston, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Jupiter, has the largest number of people in his district, 8,922.

Commissioner H. J. Enderle, of Precinct No. 2, Lake Park, has 797.

Commissioner A. L. Rardin, of Precinct No. 3, Riveria, has 2,753.

Commissioner John Prince, of Precinct No. 4, Delray Beach, has 4,442.

Commissioner C. Y. Bird, of Precinct No. 5, Boca Raton, has 6,997.

Commissioner L. W. Worth, of Precinct No. 6, Lantana, has 11,332.

Commissioner H. J. Enderle, of Precinct No. 7, Loxahatchee, has 1,452.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 8, Loxahatchee, has 2,591.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 9, Loxahatchee, has 1,749.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 10, Military Trail, has 1,299.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 11, Royal Palm Beach, has 300.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 12, Royal Palm Beach, has 4,127.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 13, Royal Palm Beach, has 3,598.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 14, Royal Palm Beach, has 1,427.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 15, Royal Palm Beach, has 1,616.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 16, Royal Palm Beach, has 8,613.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 17, Royal Palm Beach, has 16,621.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 18, Royal Palm Beach, has 1,452.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 19, Royal Palm Beach, has 2,591.

Commissioner G. W. F. Rogers, of Precinct No. 20, Royal Palm Beach, has 1,749.

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### LEAVING SINKING SHIP.

When the old ship of politics begins to sink, you can see the professionals leap overboard to swim to some more stable craft. If Florida has a professional to top Jerry Carter we haven't heard of him. Jerry, sensing the populatin shift southward, has changed his voting residence from West Florida to the East coast, according to that trenchant writer and observer, Carl Hanton of the Fort Myers News-Press. He likes the new place so well he even got a favor by a compromise apportionment suggestion, only to have that experienced old Sen. Amos Lewis of Marianna, leader of the opposition, throw it back in his face. Editor Hanton quotes the Punta Gorda

Herald to the effect that Tallahassee citizens have told how easy it would be for the South Florida house majority to refuse appropriations for the state college for women." While we don't approve of political coercion still, when a section of the state solidly oppose a constitutional mandate, then it's a challenge to the majority, which we wouldn't like to invite.

When you analyze the situation, South Florida already has the balance of power and the opponents of equitable apportionment are liable to get themselves out on a limb that won't hold them.—Orlando Sentinel.

### HAD A SYSTEM

She stood at the counter, an obviously new bride, while a clerk explained various household gadgets to her. He waxed enthusiastic about a new time egg cooker, explaining that her husband's breakfast would be just right when timed by it.

"But I wouldn't need that," she said. "John likes his eggs the way I do them. I just look out the window at the traffic light, give them one red and two greens, and they're done"—Readers' Digest.

token of appreciation for their splendid work; Credit roll department, Miss Moberg, Miss Mullis, and Mrs. Jones, business department, Mrs. Davis, Young people, attendant, Mrs. DuPre and Mrs. G. F. Kincaid, teachers, primary, Mrs. W. H. Kemp, superintendent, Mrs. John A. Dulman, Mrs. R. F. Jones, Mrs. James, Mrs. W. H. Achey, Mrs. Charles Kennedy, Mrs. D. W. Crocker, junior department, Mrs. Ralph Grimes, superintendent, Mrs. Elizabeth Koenig, Mrs. Homer Baugh, Mrs. G. F. Gillis and Mrs. C. R. Wren, teachers; intermediate department, Mrs. C. A. Moberg, superintendent, Mrs. A. M. Stevens, teacher, Miss Dorothy Stevens, general secretary, and Miss Peggy Moberg, pianist.

A more than capacity congregation was in attendance last Sunday night, First Baptist Church, Pahokee, to view the graduation program of the Vacation Bible School which closed its two weeks activities last Friday. Two hundred

Certificates were presented to 228 students of the summer vacation Bible school conducted at the Baptist church during two weeks and closing with exercises at the Church Sunday evening. The program consisted of songs, scripture selections and scripture finding contest by the various departments.

Following the exercises the congregation was invited to the Lions Hall to enjoy refreshments served by the pupils during the school and for refreshments served by Miss Peggy Moberg, Miss Mary Mullin, Miss Marion Jones.

The following officers and teachers were presented with gifts as a

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### CHURCH HAS RECORD CROWD FOR SUMMER.

A summer record of two hundred and seven in Sunday School was the joy of the First Baptist Church, Punta Gorda, last Sunday, with under fifteen in the Training Union. Capacity congregations were in attendance both preaching services. In view of the many new visitors, the pastor, Rev. C. A. Moberg, extended the spirit of cooperation on the part of those at home, is most commendable. The pastor, Rev. C. A. Moberg, is most appreciative of the many new friends who are saying, "Thank you and the Lord bless you." This Sunday morning the newly organized ladies aid, Misses Moberg, Grimes and Chapman, will receive the offering selection with the pastor at the piano. It is hoped in the near future, in addition to the Class, a mixed quartet, with augmentation by the newly organized choir which will begin rehearsals in the fall. The Class Quartet will sing Sunday night. Rev. Moberg will preach again and again.

Adjournment was due to a change after Gov. Calfee signed into law with the pen of the author, Sen. Walter B. Fraser of St. Augustine, the bill which had held up legislation in an extraordinary session for 53 days.

The Governor's only comment on the bill was that "perhaps it is the best possible under the circumstances."

While the same stood in informal recess pending completion of clerical work in the Fraser bill, some members from both sides who had been engaged during the session, joined in singing songs and hymns, topped off with "God be with you till we meet again."

The Fraser bill cleared the legislature by a 50 to 22 house vote. The measure was approved by the senate, 23 to 12, earlier Tuesday.

All efforts to amend the bill in the regular session were defeated, and it passed easily as left-over by the upper branch.

The session lasted 113 days, with the regular biennium session of 100 days.

The regular session will open again on the 12th district and put it with Madison which now is alone in the tenth.

John, together Dixie from the 12th, Gilchrist from the 32nd and Levy, which is the 30th also known as "Baptist," which is by itself in the 31st.

That would release two northern districts members for assignment to south.

Howard Palmer Beach county, and Mrs. Lewis in the 30th, would be Solon Beach, getting a senator.

The five county 33rd district also would be divided with Osceola and Orange in one district and St. Lucie, Indian River and Martin in another.

Achachua county would have a senator of its own and become a single member, instead of separating from Little Gilchrist.

In last ditch debate before the measure cleared the senate, north Floridians hurled angry accusations at the men who had gone over to the southern side.

Sen. W. T. Davis of Madison delved into religious and secular history in his attack on the former members of the northern group. Terming the senators "Judas Iscariots and Benedict Arnolds," Davis said they "virtually had destroyed members of their own group who have in the past saved them."

Sen. W. A. Shands of Gainesville, G. C. Perdue of Cedar Key, A. G. McArthur of Fernandina and W. E. Lewis of Jacksonville were the targets of his wrath. All four voted with south Florida on the final roll call on the measure.

"If it had not been for the bulldogging of the southern group, we would have left early in the second week of the session by the three-bomb proposal," Sen. Lewis shouted.

The three-bomb measure was a constitutional amendment proposed to give north Florida one new senator and south Florida three.

It failed in the senate after enlisting support from both sides and being hailed widely as an effective compromise.

Even cartridges are now being shipped in tin cans, another reason why it is so important to save them at home. Cartridges no longer are shot out to kick-over explosive charges are now shipped in quantity to the Pacific area. The American Can Company turns out over 100,000 a month.

American aviation marksmen are shooting at targets on bullet tips at real planes, says Project Engineering, McGraw-Hill magazine, which describes a new type of practice bullet that shatters into harmless powder when it strikes armored skin.

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### Cinematic Chatter By Malcolm Miller

There was plenty of sincere laughter among the people at the musical "Two Girls and A Sailor," which incidently, stars June Allyson, Gloria DeHaven, Dennis Day, Eddie Albert, and the orchestra, Xavier Cugat and his orchestra, Caruso Ramirez, Donald Meeks and Lena Horne all in there pitching one of the best musical shows of their experience. There is the story: Two sisters awaken up their home as a canteen

for service men, one of them a young sailor whom both of them like very much but feel shouldn't spend his money. Unknown to them he is very wealthy but to spend a hard time deciding which one of the girls he wants. He arrives at the warehouse to turn into a canteen when along comes a soldier who falls in love with one of the sisters. When the two realize one of the girls is in love with another she awakens to the fact he is really in love with the other.

I will agree that the plot is a new one, and that it is a little thin on the comey side, but the whole thing is presented with such art-

istry and genuine cleverness, that it overlooks these shortcomings. The comic is divine, the comedy clever.

Durante stays them again, Lena Horne is in excellent voice, and Allyson and De Haven make a very delightful sister act, with the dancing done in a properly rendered, that will bring you a delightful night at the theatre.

You have a double feature for you, Tuesday-Wednesday afternoon with the first one up that we showed here some time ago for a War Bond rally . . . This one is "Dood It With Red Skelton," with Peg Phillips, Paula, Dickie Richard, Missy, Buck Bubba, Jimmy Dorsey and His Orchestra and a bouncy of beauty "Brothers," "primes" and "show girls" performing through the program delight your eye with grace, charm and clever ensemble numbers.

According to the story a pants presser (That will be Red) who knows how to "fix a girl's clothes" follows a movie star about because he has fallen in love with her. The girl is in love with a play-boy, but agrees to marry the pants presser, of whose livelihood she is unaware, when the play-boy

is seen with another girl. This brings about a series of misunderstandings that there is a whole lot of action with gangsters and coppers running rings around Red all ending with you a trifle breathless.

The second one on the program is "The Girl From U.S.A." which stars Robert Lowery and Phyllis Brooks and Jack La Rue who unravel the story of a young couple who meet in a night club in a San Fran port city, and the girl's forces to try to get back to the United States. They board a tramp steamer bound for Galveston, and after a murder and other adventures arrive in the United States.

Thursday-Friday brings Charles Boyer, Irene Dunn and Charles Coburn as stars, in a comedy contract under the title "Together Again."

The story is about a woman who goes to a large city to engage a sculptor to do a statue of her dead husband. She meets the sculptor who takes her out to dinner. While there she is mistaken for a "strip tease" artist and arrested. Released she returns home, hoping to escape scandal, but is ultimately the next night followed.

Naturally a lot of complications arise to make this offering one of the most clever and delightful pieces of entertainment you could imagine.

Saturday brings a Western for the members of the Six Shooters Club.

This one is "Frontier Law" with John Wayne and James Holt starred and a goodly number of featured Western players in support.

Jennifer Holt is the daughter of the old frontier lawman Holt and the object of the clever heart-throb Tim Holt. Russell Hayden was for a long time "Hopalong" Cassidy's side kick.

See you at the movies — Mal.

### Tooley — Moore

Miss Lucy Moore of Naples, N. C. and P.P.C. John H. Tooley of Greer, S. C., were married on July 12 at Greenville, S. C.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. C. S. Moore of Naples and is a graduate of Pahokee high school or Pahokee, her former home, having completed her training at Mountain Sanitarium and Hospital, Fletcher, N. C. last September.

P. F. C. Tooley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tooley of Greer, and is a graduate of the Greer high school. He is now on furlough from Camp Butler, N. C., where he is a patient. He was wounded while serving with the United States Army in Alaska where he spent 33 months, having recently returned to the states.

America with a million of 3,500 licensed private flyers by 1960 if progress made since 1939 continues at the same rate in the next fifteen years, according to William A. Mara, Bendix Aviation corporation staff executive.

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**FOR SALE:** Large comfortable 9 room house, with 3 bedrooms, a car garage, maid's room, on big corner lot. Close for \$10,000. C. A. Bailey, Phone 70, at Belle Glade, Fla.

**FOUND:** Two stray cows, one black and one cream colored. They have been lost near home. L. C. Komar, Pahokee, Fla. Aug. 10

**FOR SALE:** Victory bicycle in good condition. Pair of new Toledo scales. Mrs. E. L. Keen, Canal Point, Fla.

**FOR SALE:** One National Cash register in first-class condition. Send letter to Miss Kansas Todd, Canal Point, Fla.

**LOST:** Blond female cocker spaniel. Child's pet, reward for return. Call Mrs. J. Bosworth, Pahokee Hospital.

**NOTICE:** Due to conditions beyond my control I am forced to sell my bus. I have a number making now and must sell. This will be fresh within the next few weeks, also one registered Guerrilla bus. E. M. & Merrith, Bacon Point Road, Pahokee, Fla. 242d

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# SOCIAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

MRS. G. B. RAMEY  
Pahokee Phone 2082

Mrs. Eddie Starling and granddaughters just left town for Ft. Myers where they will spend two weeks visiting Mrs. Starling's sister, Mrs. Annie Alfred.

Mrs. Minnie L. Hughes accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Smith, left town this week for Homestead, N. C., where Mrs. Hughes will spend a month with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vann and Mr. Frazer will be engaged in the produce business.

Mrs. G. C. McLarty and son Claude have gone to Orlando to visit Mrs. McLarty's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cohen Blinkey and family.

Mrs. Willie Bridges, who has been employed at the Everglades Memorial Hospital for several years, has moved to West Palm Beach where she will reside.

Mrs. J. P. Louis, mother of Sgt. deMoya was taken to St. Marys Hospital in West Palm Beach for medical treatment last Wednesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Carl Mizelle and family left Thursday for Mt. Dora where they will make their home. Mr. Mizelle is employed by T. W. Knight farming operations in that section.

Mrs. and Mrs. E. L. McElwain and family have returned to their home in Pahokee after several weeks' vacation spent at Surf Cottages near West Palm Beach.

Louis Wheeler Jr., son of Sgt. deMoya and Mrs. L. S. Wheeler of Lakeland has been stricken with infantile paralysis according to word received from Mrs. Bertha Starling and will move it to a lot on Biscayne Point Road where they will reside.

Miss Lula Barfield has returned to her home here after spending several weeks in West Palm Beach with her mother, Mrs. S. A. Barfield; remains there for another week's vacation with her son Charles Barfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rice have returned from Miami where they spent three weeks vacation.

Mrs. L. B. Fraiser Jr., is spending a week with her mother in Tampa.

Miss Bobbie Moberg has returned to Bay Pines Hospital in Pahokee for medical treatment. Mr. Johnson recently received a medical discharge from the Army.

Mrs. Eli Crippen of Dania is visiting her son-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hatton and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stanley and family here this week.

Roy Segree and H. M. McIntosh have returned from Chicago where they spent several days on business.

Mrs. W. R. Kaufman and son Oxford, accompanied by Mrs. Nancy Simpkins are visiting relatives in Ft. Lauderdale.

Miss Beverly is spending several weeks with her mother here after having been engaged in her trade business in Georgia and Tennessee.

Mrs. W. H. Key has returned from Alabama where she visited relatives and friends.

Miss Nan Brown and Miss Nancy Stevens spent the week end with friends in Palm Beach.

R. C. Houck, who has been engineer for the Celery Co-op at the

Miss Louise Dolaney of Clewiston is a recent guest of Mrs. Minnie L. Hughes.

Laurie Rogers, Joy Fields, Murry Weeks and Eddie Stanley left near Auburndale, Fla., where they will attend the Methodist Intermediate camp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Elliott and family have returned to their home in Pahokee after several weeks' vacation in Hollywood Beach.

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State Market for four years, has resigned and will move back to the west coast of Florida on Aug. 1.

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	TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$24,400.15
LAND AND BUILDINGS		
Land and Buildings	\$13,968.78	
Buildings and Additions	800.03	
City Hall - Old	3,000.00	
City Hall - New	3,727.91	
Fire Hall	640.00	
Cemetery Building	100.00	
Gas Station	111.22	
Less: Reserve for Depreciation	\$45,671.08	37,190.02
	\$47,386.00	
FIXED ASSETS:		
Land and Land Suspense	\$13,968.78	
W. P. A. Project	800.03	
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Less: Reserve for Depreciation	\$45,671.08	37,190.02
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Fire Department Equipment	1,250.22	
Police Equipment	1,250.22	
Street Lighting Equipment	3,000.07	
Street Equipment	3,000.07	
Less: Reserve for Depreciation	\$2,521.79	3,294.26
	\$2,499.50	
Fire Engine	1,250.22	
Garage Trucks	1,250.22	
Police Department Car	1,250.22	
Less: Reserve for Depreciation	\$8,262.31	2,122.68
	\$8,262.31	
Diesel Engine	2,708.51	3,153.80
Less: Reserve for Depreciation		
Total Fixed Assets		\$64,251.42
Total Assets		\$85,631.57

NOTE: The City of Pahokee (Piney's Fund) is the registered owner of \$500.00 of U. S. War Savings Bonds, Series G, 2% interest, dated 8-21-43, and numbered C 1631172-6 O, inclusive, which are not shown in the above balance sheet.

## CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA BALANCE SHEET SEPTEMBER 30, 1944

### CURRENT LIABILITIES:

Notes Payable - Current	\$100.00
Accounts Payable - Current	2,153.56
Interest and Dividends Payable	2,458.00
Firemen's Fund	321.54
Postage and Water	2,916.30
Reserve for Withholding Tax	94.50
Prepaid Licenses	2,800.00
Unemployment Compensation	45.50
Tax Certificates - Credit Balance	6.12
Bond Maturing Prior to September 30, 1945	1,000.00

### BONDS MATURING SUBSEQUENT TO SEPTEMBER 30, 1945:

Total Liabilities	\$16,718.62
Surplus for Uncollected Taxes	24,925.11

Total Surplus	41,643.73
Total Liabilities and Surplus	85,631.57

### CITY OF PAHOKEE, FLORIDA STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1944

#### CURRENT TAX COLLECTIONS - GENERAL FUND

Current Tax Collections - General Fund	\$13,098.56
Current Tax Collections - Debt Service	2,618.50

#### GENERAL DEPARTMENT EXPENSE

General Department Expense	\$15,711.22
Less: Discounts Allowed	15,537.24

#### DEBT PURCHASE AND REDEMPTION

Interest and Costs of Delinquent Taxes	1,184.08
Interest and Costs of Late Payments	357.90
Occupational Licenses	5,747.73
Postage and Water	1,240.00
Cemetery: Cemetery	200.00
Building Fund	76.00
Garbage Disposal	2,744.70
Building Fund	2,744.70
Miscellaneous Collections	1,040.00

#### GENERAL DEPARTMENT EXPENSE

General Department Expense	\$13,226.81
Police Department Gas Oil	812.55
Police Department Gasoline	7,000.00
Police Department Salaries	6,647.92
Police Equipment	1,000.00
Clerk's Salary	1,500.00
Postage and Water	1,100.00
Street and Sidewalks	4,102.71
Cemetery Maintenance	1,001.22
Building Fund	2,000.00
Office Expenses	284.00
Auditing Expenses	180.00
Legal Expenses	272.39
Interest, Taxes and Exchange	124.20
Postage and Water	1,000.00
Interest and Costs	1,000.00
Advertising	27.00
Electric Power	79.41
Equipment Purchases	1,380.00
Bank Interest and Expense	1,061.96
Total Expenses	\$33,646.05

#### GENERAL DEPARTMENT EXPENSE

Interest and Costs of Delinquent Taxes	1,184.08
Interest and Costs of Late Payments	357.90
Occupational Licenses	5,747.73
Postage and Water	1,240.00
Cemetery: Cemetery	200.00
Building Fund	76.00
Garbage Disposal	2,744.70
Building Fund	2,744.70
Miscellaneous Collections	1,040.00

#### GENERAL DEPARTMENT EXPENSE

General Department Expense	\$15,711.22
Less: Reserve for Depreciation	52,344.15

#### GENERAL DEPARTMENT EXPENSE

General Department Expense	\$10,162.64
Total Assets	\$16,627.72

### CURRENT LIABILITIES: LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS

Accounts Payable - General	\$1,238.15
Postage and Water	1,620.00
Reserve for Unrecorded Meter Deposits	5,610.00
Reserve for Withholding Tax	63.95
Bonds Maturing Prior to September 30, 1945	5,000.00

#### TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES

Total Current Liabilities	\$16,627.72
Total Liabilities	\$16,627.72

#### SURPLUSES:

From Operations	\$25,542.00
From Federal Grant	29,300.00

Total Surplus	\$54,842.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$16,627.72

#### CITY OF PAHOKEE - WATER WORKS BALANCE SHEET SEPTEMBER 30, 1944

#### ASSETS

Land and Buildings	\$7,440.00
Less: Reserve for Depreciation	3,720.00
Total Fixed Assets	\$3,720.00
Total Assets	\$3,720.00

#### LIABILITIES

Land and Buildings	\$7,440.00
Less: Reserve for Depreciation	3,720.00
Total Liabilities	\$3,720.00

#### CITY OF PAHOKEE - WATER WORKS STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1944

#### INCOME:

Metered Service	\$1,238.15
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